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In re patent application of

Applicant: Dettling, et al.
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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. 1.17(a))

1. This is a petition for an extension of time for a total period of 3 months from the due date for Office Action dated June 17, 2004.
2. A response in the form of an Amendment is simultaneously filed herewith.
3. Calculation of extension fee: 3 months \$1,020.00
4. Fee Payment:

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